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Manager's Newsletter

Town of

Kitty Hawk

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Town Council Considers 2 Cent Tax Increase

As a result of the Budget Workshop held on Monday, June 11, 2012, the Kitty Hawk Town Council is now considering a 2-cent tax increase, to overcome continued revenue shortfalls and increasing expenses. This would be Kitty Hawk's first tax increase in 10 years. The proposed budget for fiscal year 2012-2013 is a little over \$6,021,729 and is \$200,000 less than the budget for the current fiscal year.

While the Town has reduced expenses and eliminated staff positions over the last several years, Kitty Hawk has continued to lose shared revenue from occupancy, sales and land transfer taxes, as other Towns in the county have increased their tax rates. Under the formula for sharing revenues, towns receive money based on their property tax collections. When one town increases taxes and others do not, the formula gives more money to the town collecting more property tax money and reduces the amount other Towns receive.

The proposed budget without a tax increase projects a shortfall of \$756,938. By raising the tax rate 2 cents, the Town's portion of the shared revenues could generate up to \$472,000 if no other towns change their rates. However, currently most of the other Town's except for Duck are at least considering a tax increase.

A Public Hearing for Public Comment on the Budget Has Been Set

Monday, June 25, 2012

6:00 PM

Kitty Hawk Town Hall

Emergency Calls – May 2012

During the month of May 2012, there were 60 calls for emergency service. The breakdown is as follows:

Assist invalid	1
Automatic/mutual aid	5
Dispatched and cancelled en route	1
Electrical wiring/equipment problem, other	1
False alarm or false call, other	3
Gas leak (natural gas or LPG)	1
Gasoline or other flammable liquid spill	2
Lock-out	1
Medical calls	21
Motor vehicle accident with injuries	1
Motor vehicle accident with no injuries	7
Outside rubbish, trash or waste fire	1
Power line down	1
Public service assistance, other	8
Smoke detector activation due to malfunction	1
Sprinkler activation due to malfunction	1
Trash or rubbish fire	1
Unauthorized burning	1
Water problem, other	1
Wrong location	1

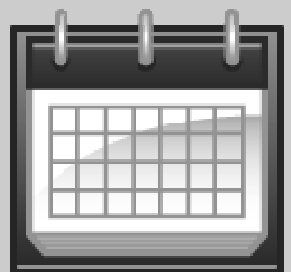
Town Calendar

Planning Board Meeting—Thursday, June 14, 2012—6:00 p.m.

Kitty Hawk Fire Department Golf Tournament and Barbeque Dinner—
Saturday, June 23, 2012

Public Hearing for Budget—Monday, June 25, 2012—6:00 p.m.

Town Council Meeting—Monday, July 2, 2012—6:00 p.m.





Kitty Hawk Fire Department Association

2012 Golf Tournament

Saturday, June 23, 2012

Shotgun Start Time at 9:00 am

Hosted by Sea Scape Golf Links

300 West Eckner Street, Kitty Hawk, NC 27949

Tournament Details:

The KHFDA Annual Golf Tournament is a Captain's Choice Tournament, limited to 30 teams. The cost per team for the tournament is \$320.00; the price includes golf cart, green fees, continental breakfast prior to start, and lunch after the completion of the tournament. Prizes will be given out to the following teams:

1. First Place Team \$480.00,
2. 1/3 Place Team in field \$320.00
3. 2/3 Place Team in field \$160.00

Trophies will also be awarded to the top teams made up of:

- All Firefighters from the same department
- All Females

To register your team for the tournament:

- You will need to fill out this registration form.
- Include a team deposit of \$100.00 payable to **KHFDA**
- Mail your team's registration and deposit to:

KHFDA Golf Tournament
P.O. Box 207, Kitty Hawk NC 27949

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Chief Spivey, Bob, or Cole at (252) 261-2666 or Sea Scape Golf Course (252) 261-2158.

GOLF TEAM REGISTRATION

Team Name: _____ **Fire Dept:** _____

Team Captain's Name: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Player #2 Name: _____ **Email:** _____

Player #3 Name: _____ **Email:** _____

Player #4 Name: _____ **Email:** _____

Ask about our Reverse Raffle!!!

Kitty Hawk Encourages Residents to Participate in Curbside Recycling



The Town of Kitty Hawk works with Bay Disposal & Recycling/Outer Banks Hauling to provide recycling service for the residents of Kitty Hawk. The recycled material consists of newsprint, corrugated containers, mixed paper, plastic, aluminum, steel, and glass.

Recycling is good for the environment as it extends the life of the landfills and provides a reduction of cost for the Town of Kitty Hawk. Outer Bank Hauling, a division of Bay Disposal offers curbside recycling collection services to Kitty Hawk Residents.

A 95 gallon wheeled container is provided and no sorting is necessary. Collections are made every Monday. The cost for weekly, residential pick-up is \$8.95 per month and customers are billed on a quarterly basis. There are also seasonal programs available. Call Outer Banks Hauling today at (252) 480-6699.

May 2012 Monthly Report

# Tons Collected	9.03
Approximate Collection Percentages	
Newsprint	20%
OCC	19%
Mixed Paper	18%
HDPE	5%
Aluminum	3%
PET	7%
Steel	3%
Glass	9%
Residue	16%
# Carts / Customers	213



Support the Fire Department and Attend Their Barbecue Dinner

The Kitty Hawk Fire Department Association will be hosting a Barbecue Dinner with All of the "Fixins" at the Seascapes Golf Links Restaurant on Saturday, June 23, 2012, between 5 p.m. and 8 p.m. Tickets are \$15.00 per person. Please contact the Kitty Hawk Fire Department at 252-261-2666 for tickets or see any KHFD Firefighter.

It's Not Too Late To Register A Team for the Kitty Hawk Fire Department's Golf Tournament

It's not too late to register a team for the Kitty Hawk Fire Department's Golf Tournament on Saturday, June 23, 2012. Please contact the Kitty Hawk Fire Department at 252-261-2666 for registration or more information. Come out and support the Kitty Hawk Fire Department and our local sponsors to make this a fun event for all.



***Kitty Hawk Fire Department is
Recruiting Volunteers
Incentives Available
Call 252-261-2666 for more
information.***



The Town of Kitty Hawk's newsletter is prepared two times per month and sent electronically to anyone who wants to receive it. Paper copies of the newsletter are available at Town Hall. The newsletter does not present or represent opinions of the Town Council.

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